

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Hill et al.

Application No:

09/346,470

For:

Genetic Sequences Encoding Steroid and

Juvenile Hormone Receptor Polypeptides and

Insecticidal Modalities Therefor

Group Art Unit:

1646

Examiner:

J. Murphy

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 27, 2005, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the rejections and entry of the present Amendment. This Amendment is accompanied by Exhibits A and B, a Petition for Extension of Time and the necessary fee. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.